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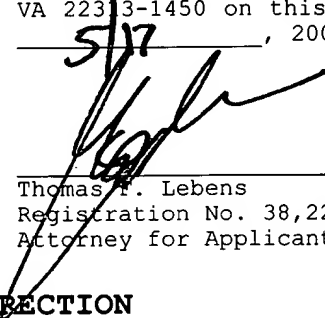
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for United States Patent 6,989,631 issued January 24, 2006. Upon reviewing the patent, the following error was noted and should be corrected as follows:

In the CLAIMS:

Claim 3, column 16, line 5, change "axe" to --are--.

The Certificate of Correction sets forth this correction.

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Remarks

A review of these documents confirms that the error was made in the printing of the patent. Please see Exhibit "A", page 2 of Amendment E as filed with the patent office on January 18, 2005, under Listing of the Claims, Claim 3, line 2.

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Listing of the Claims

Claim 1 (Previously presented): A cathode plate of field emission display comprising:

a cathode substrate of the field emission display having a thickness; and
one or more in-laid linear isolation barriers formed within the thickness of
a top surface of the cathode substrate;

one or more electron emitter lines for emitting electrons to a display
screen formed within each of the one or more in-laid linear isolation barriers,

wherein the one or more in-laid linear isolation barriers provide field
isolation between respective ones of the electron emitter lines.

Claim 2 (Canceled)

Claim 3 (Previously presented): The cathode plate of Claim 1 wherein
portions of the top surface in between the one or more in-laid isolation barriers are
adapted to contact gate wires of a gate frame positioned over the cathode substrate in
order to dampen vibrations in the gate wires due to the driving frequency.

Claim 4 (Previously presented): The cathode plate of Claim 1 further
comprising a trace coupled at one end to the top surface of the cathode substrate and
coupled at an opposite end to a portion of a respective one of the one or more emitter
lines.

Claim 5 (Original): The cathode plate of Claim 4 wherein the trace is bent
so that the one end of the trace is flush with the top surface of the cathode plate and the
opposite end is flush with the respective one of the one or more emitter lines.

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INVENTOR(S) : Russ et al.

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is hereby corrected as shown below:

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Claim 3, column 16, line 5, change "axe" to —are--.

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